

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

THE ROCKPORT COMPANY, LLC,  
Plaintiff,

v.

E. S. ORIGINALS, INC.,  
Defendant.

C.A. No. 04-12714 WGY

**PLAINTIFF'S LOCAL RULE 16.1 CERTIFICATION**


Pursuant to Local Rule 16.1, the Plaintiff, The Rockport Company, LLC, and its counsel hereby certify that they have conferred (a) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course – and various alternative courses – of the litigation; and (b) to consider the resolution of the litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in LR 16.4.



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Respectfully submitted,

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